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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Fumihiro Hiroyuki SHIBATA et al.

Serial No. 09/760,883

Group Art Unit: 2673

Confirmation No. 4981

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Examiner: Vincent E. Kovalick

For: DISPLAY APPARATUS WITH REDUCED NOISE EMISSION AND DRIVING METHOD

FOR THE DISPLAY APPARATUS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Technology Center 2600

Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination.

Before examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows: